

BAR HILL NEWS

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— FIREWORK NIGHT —

Monday 5th November from 6pm.

On the school green.

Refreshments available including tea, candy floss, mulled wine, hotdogs and bbq.

No sparklers allowed.

ROMSEY MILL CHARITY GALA #1

Saturday 10th November 2018 – 6pm until Midnight
Hallmark Hotel Cambridge

What the night holds:

Drinks Reception, Fabulous Three Course Meal, Live Band (Deep Blue), Dancing, Competitions, Fun and Fundraising

This event is in support of Romsey Mill, the Cambridgeshire charity working with local Children, Young People and Families facing disadvantage. Find out more: www.romseymill.org

Tickets: £55 per person; tables seat 10 guests. Dress code: Black Tie.

Grand Gala Prize – “Superior” overnight stay for two with evening meal at The Swan, Southwold and distillery/brewery tour.

To order your tickets, please e-mail

events@romseymill.org or call 01223 566492.

If you need any more information please contact Georgina on 01223 566492 or 07818 665323.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The A.G.M. of the Bar Hill Village Hall will be held on Thursday 22nd November in the Committee Room of the Village Hall at 7.30pm – all residents of Bar Hill are welcome to attend.

BAR HILL FOOTBALL CLUB TOGETHER WITH LITTLE BUNNIES & PLAYPALS INVITE YOU TO OUR FUNDRAISING DISCO!!

SATURDAY 24th NOVEMBER from 7.30pm at
BAR HILL VILLAGE HALL



Tickets £8

RAFFLE

50/50

DISCO

— YOUR VILLAGE FETE —

We would appreciate your comments on the following questions:

1. What is your favourite part of the village fete?
2. What is your least favourite part of the village fete?
3. What would you like to see at the village fete?

Email answers to kjdacosta@outlook.com, or put a note through the door of 5 Hillcrest.

UPCOMING MEETINGS re 2019 FÊTE

All meetings start at 7.30pm in the Social Club:

14th November 2018

9th January 2019

13th March

10th April

8th May

12th June

Please do come along and help make the Fête a community event to be proud of. A little of your time could be invaluable; there are jobs as small as putting out cones or putting up posters, to big jobs like coordinating bookings. There's something to suit all levels of expertise and time. Please help bring the community spirit back to Bar Hill!

— NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH —

Helping to build stronger communities where crime and antisocial behaviour are less likely to happen.



Remember:

999 where a crime is in progress or life is in danger;

101 to report ALL suspicions or concerns, for advice or to report a crime that has already happened.

nhwinbarhill@yahoo.co.uk

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION, — BAR HILL BRANCH —

The Royal British Legion Bar Hill Branch meets on the 4th Thursday of each month in The Community Room at Tesco at 7.30pm.

We are a small friendly group of like-minded people.

To join you don't have to have an Armed Forces background, just share a common cause of supporting our Service community, now and for the rest of their lives.

The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal collection will take place from Monday 29th October to Saturday 10th November from 9am–5pm daily. We are looking for volunteers to help man the collection point in Tesco. If you could spare an hour please contact Maggie Cox, Poppy Appeal coordinator, on 01954 488657.

The Royal British Legion, Bar Hill Church and the uniformed organisations will be holding a Remembrance Service on Sunday 11th November in the Church. This year's service will be celebrating the end of World War 1. All are welcome to attend.

If you are interested in coming along, please contact Wendy Arrowsmith, Branch Secretary, on 01954 781381 or Malcolm Cox, Chairman, on 01954 488657.

— RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION —

Interested persons are always welcome at Residents' Association meetings.



NOVEMBER ONLY the meeting will be held at 7pm the Parish Council office.

Next meeting: 6th November.

Deadline for December's edition: 15th November to bhneditor@yahoo.com
or see page 2 for other contacts.

— BAR HILL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION —

2017-18 COMMITTEE:

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The objectives of the association are to act as an intermediary between residents and other parties, to keep residents informed of matters of importance and recreation in and around the village, and to promote the interests of Bar Hill. Opinions expressed in this publication are not necessarily those of the Association. Anonymous letters will not be published, but names and addresses may be withheld. This is a private publication and may not be reproduced in any way without the prior permission of the Bar Hill Residents' Association Committee.

ADVERTISING

All matters relating to advertising should be addressed to the Advertising Coordinator bunty.waters@ntlworld.com. Quarter-page adverts cost £16.50 per month and must be submitted by the 1st of the month prior to inclusion. These ads are for local businesses and we guarantee publication, but this often results in a waiting list. To help overcome this, we publish Maxi and Mini ads which appear throughout the publication. We cannot guarantee their inclusion, though, due to restrictions of space. Maxi ads (6cmx4½cm – 9cmx6cm) are £8.50 per month; Mini ads (6cmx2cm – 6cmx4cm) are £5 per month, and should be submitted by 15th of the month prior to their inclusion.

EDITORIAL

There is no charge for Articles, What's On, For Sale or Lost and Found. These appear at the Editor's discretion. Please submit items by 15th of the month. [Items offered For Sale will be advertised in two consecutive editions, so please let the Editor know if the item(s) sell after the first time.] All items can be submitted electronically on disk or to bhneditor@yahoo.com [a Word file is best, please] or hard copy via Parish Council Office.

— THE MAPLE SURGERY —

Tel: 01954 780442

www.mhmaple.co.uk

Out of Hours Emergencies call 111
(Cambridgeshire and Peterborough 111 Service)

Surgery Opening times:

Monday to Friday 8am – 6.30pm

On the day appointments: bookable by phone at 8.30am.

Midwife Monday 9.30am–12.30pm

Podiatrist Wed. & Friday 8.45am–12 noon

and 1.00–4.00pm

Cambs Hearing Help 4th Tues/month 9.30–11.30am

Health Visitors (based at Longstanton): 01954 207612

Well Child Clinics: 3rd Tues/month 1.00–2.30pm

at the Children's Centre, Bar Hill (next to Primary School).

— BAR HILL HEALTH WALKS —

Free every Wednesday morning

Meet at Maple Surgery at 10.30am

Our walks are all weather (in case of rain you will find us under the Church porch), free, and accessible to all, particularly those who are currently inactive.

Walks are 45–60 minutes long, and led by trained Volunteer Walk Leaders. Shorter walks may be available; contact Patricia or Josephine to discuss.

We meet locally after the walk for a hot drink and a chat.

This is usually in the library, but may sometimes be at Costa, Tesco, or the Fox.

If this is your first walk please arrive 10 minutes early to complete a short health questionnaire. Copies are available on the PPG noticeboard in Maple Surgery, and at

www.walkingforhealth.org.uk.

Contact: Josephine Powell T: 07901 558108;

E: jopowell45@hotmail.com or Patricia Daniels

T: 07917 874402; E: danielsoohn@btinternet.com.

— WANTED —

Attention all builders and roofers!

Budding scientists in Bar Hill School Reception Classes would like pieces of guttering for experimenting with water and small balls.

Deliver to Jo Hall, 11 Almond Grove – 01954 780304 or to the school for the attention of the Reception teachers.

Also, if anyone has a door knocker in working order, they would appreciate it.

SUMMIT LANDSCAPES

• Paving • Driveways • Brickwork •
• Carpentry • Groundworks • T: 01223 929394;
www.landscapingpaving.co.uk

BICYCLE REPAIRS & SERVICING – 07914 655086

— NWR —

**CONNECTING WOMEN WHO ARE
INTERESTED IN EVERYTHING
AND TALK ABOUT ANYTHING**



NWR is a national women's organisation with members who enjoy lively conversations both serious and light-hearted. It is for women of all ages who like to be informed and share ideas by actively participating in the content of meetings. We promote friendship and self-confidence for lively minded women. We invite you to join us. Come along to one of our meetings – you'd be very welcome.

15th Nov. Treasure Trail – members only

22nd Nov. Characters of WW1, e.g. soldiers, generals, nurses, poets etc.

6th Dec. Debate about the NHS – Is it fit for purpose? If not what is the alternative?

The Bar Hill NWR group meets informally in members' homes on alternate Thursday evenings at 8pm. We pay an annual fee of £23 and just £1 per meeting to cover local costs. If you would like more information or someone to accompany you to a meeting, please don't hesitate to call Bobby Colver on 01954 781662 or Karen Hayden on 01954 781843.

NWR can also be found on www.nwr.org.uk. Why not have a look!

— HAPPY HOURS —

Our Club meets on most Mondays in the Octagon building of Bar Hill Church and runs from 11am until 3pm with coffee, tea and light lunches. Our Winter lunch time menu consists of soup and a roll or baked potato with butter (at £1.50 each) or filled baked potatoes (cheese, tuna mayo or baked beans at £2.50) or a ploughman's lunch (at £2.30 each).

Our aim is to provide friendship and companionship so why not come along and give us a try? You can have a good old natter, a game or two, or enjoy our other various activities. We would welcome new members.

Coming up:

5th November: AGM followed by Play Your Cards Right

12th November: Abandoned Cities Around the World

19th November: Club Birthday Party –

MEMBERS ONLY – pre-booked

26th November: Fishing by Tony Hall

3rd December: Christmas Arts and Crafts

Anne Plumb, 01954 780364

— BAR HILL BOOK CLUB —

Meeting on Tuesday 20th November at 7.30pm in Bar Hill Sports & Social Club, The Spinney, Bar Hill. Please join our friendly group, we offer a lovely welcome, good company and great book choices.

Let me know if you would like to join us and

I will arrange a warm welcome.

sheilafrarr@hotmail.co.uk or tel/text: 07920 558319

**BAR HILL
COMMUNITY
MARKET**

Saturday 3rd November

In the Octagon

Christmas Market

Saturday 1st December

In the Church

Entry is Free

10.30am – 2pm

Many stalls, cakes, homemade crafts

Refreshments with soup at lunchtime.

BBQ – weather permitting

Find the Penguin hunt for the children at the Christmas market.

For more details contact Karen 01954 781085

bar.hill.community.market@gmail.com



DRY DRAYTON WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Our W.I. meets at 2.30pm on the second Tuesday of every month in the Village Hall, High Street, Dry Drayton.

Our future programme is:

13th Nov. Mr Rex Freeman – England our England – songs and words;

11th Dec. Christmas meal for members.

Visitors are always welcome – £5

Contacts: Huguette 01954 781484

Alice 01954 782497

BAR HILL, A SOCIAL HISTORY, 1949–2004

by Roger Hall.

Copies are still available, priced £10.00, from Roger Hall, 11 Almond Grove, tel. 01954 80304 or 07986 415244

— 8 O'CLOCK CLUB —

We are a women's group that meets on the first Thursday of the month in the lounge at the school at 8pm. The cost is £10 for the year plus 50p each month to cover the raffle and coffee.

We have a variety of speakers as well as an annual garden party, birthday party and Christmas meal. Our upcoming meetings are as follows:–

1 Nov. – Malcolm Busby – Ghostly Tales

6 Dec. – Christmas meal – members only

If you'd like further information please phone Barbara on 01954 204171, Adela on 01954 204265, Ann on 01954 204687, or come along to one of our meetings. We'd be very pleased to meet you.

— HEALTH AND WELLBEING CLUB —

Held on the second Tuesday of the month between 2–4pm in Tesco Community Room, the group focuses on aspects of promoting and maintaining good health in every area. We start with a chair based exercise activity followed by advice from Tesco's departments.

This is a unique and friendly group and is an ideal place to meet new people.

Next meetings: 13th November.

For further information, contact Wendy Arrowsmith on 01954 781381.

— LETTER —

Dear Editor

What a refreshing change to have two positive letters in last month's BHN. It was great to read the success of the BHSSC 40th Anniversary Celebrations and BH Taekwondo Club.

Makes a change from reading about Dog Mess, Dodgy Car Parking, and the A14 upgrade works?

Look forward to reading more success stories from Bar Hill in the future.

Best wishes

Bill Proudfoot, Watermead

— FRIENDS OF THE ROSIE —

We hope all our customers are looking forward to Christmas.



The Friends of the Rosie Hospital are, and we have lots of stalls raising money to help make the Rosie a more comfortable environment for mothers and babies. For up-to-the minute information follow our Facebook page.

Rosie in Stitches would like to thank all our customers at our recent stalls, our income for 2018 is already over £1,000.

See below for where you can shop with us again.

Upcoming Stall dates this autumn:

Tea Bar, Rosie Hospital Outpatient Clinic

Monday to Friday 9am-4pm

Addenbrooke's Outpatient foyer

Thursday 1st November between 10am-4pm

Friday 9th November from 10 am-4 pm

Large display of toys and clothes

Bar Hill Community Market - 10.30am-2pm

Saturday 3rd November

Saturday 1st December

Selling gifts for all ages

New members are always welcome, whether to contribute financially, to join our team of knitters, to organise the three large stalls per year at Addenbrooke's Outpatients, provide transport for our volunteers, display a small selection of our wares or to help on the Rosie tea bar. Contact Mary Sanders on 01223 356615 further details are given on our website www.rosieinstitches.org.uk. Thank you for your continued support.

— INDOOR CARPET BOWLS —

We are a mixed group who meet in the school on Friday evenings during term time from 7.30-10.00pm with a ½-hour break for refreshment - all for £1.50 each evening you play.

We do not play in any leagues so even if you have never played before do not be put off. Why not come along and join us on any Friday evening with your 1st session being free?

We look forward to welcoming you.

If you require any further details please contact Barbara on 01954 204171.

— BAR HILL CRICKET CLUB —



We brought the curtain down on our season at our presentation night, held at the Sports & Social Club, with awards handed out to both the youth and adult sections.

The winners of the youth awards were:

Coaches' player of the year: **Archie Tyrell**

Captain's player of the year: **David Starling**

Most improved player: **David Starling**

Best newcomer: **Zac Tyrer**

Inspiration award: **Harry Searle**

The adult awards went to:

Midweek player of the season: **Scott Underhay**

First XI player of the season: **Phil Orvis**

First-team batsman: **Phil Orvis**

First-team bowler: **Jim Neal**

Outstanding performance: **Adam Dean**

Most improved player: **Jake Curry**

Duckman: **Scott Underhay**

Champagne moment: **Jim Neal**

The final and most important award given out was the Marie Styles shield for Clubman of the Year, voted for by all the club members and won this year by **Jake Curry**. Thanks to the Sports & Social Club, Village Hall Management Committee, Parish Council, Andy's Kars and Domino for their support this season.

We hope to arrange some indoor net sessions in the new year, so keep an eye on our website at

www.barhillcricket.org.uk.

Paul Stimpson, 01954 201212

NEW!

RHYMETIME and STORYTIME



Our new programme of events for young children at the village Library began this autumn. Bring your little one to Rhymetime or Storytime to enjoy time with them while they develop their speaking and listening skills.

Sessions are free and there is no need to book; just come along and find out what your local library has to offer you.

Rhymetime is for 0-3-year-olds and is held on Tuesdays, from 2.15 to 2.45 p.m. Join your baby or toddler in singing rhymes, and meet other parents and carers.

Storytime is for 3-6-year-olds. It is held on the second Saturday of the month from 11 to 11.30 a.m. Bring your child to enjoy listening to stories, sing and join in a craft or colouring activity.

Dates for November

Rhymetime: Tuesday 6, 13, 20 and 27 November, from 2.15 to 2.45 p.m.

Storytime: Saturday 10 November, from 11 to 11.30 a.m.

FOR SALE

Light blue synthetic carpet and underlay

Dimensions: 4.15m x 2.95m (approx.)

In clean and good condition: £20

01954 781208 or 07896543320

— BAR HILL PARISH COUNCIL —



Sue Bell, Parish Clerk: 01954 780456

e-mail: clerk@barhillpc.org.uk

Please note that the office is normally open to residents between 10am and 12noon, Monday to Wednesday.

Our website is at: www.barhillpc.org.uk

Firstly, a huge thank you to all the volunteers, Tesco and Parish Councillors who gave their time on Saturday 29th September to support and join in the Litterpick. The weather was kind and a great amount of rubbish was collected up and bagged from various areas all around the village. This helps to make a difference to the village – making it a cleaner place for everyone to enjoy.

Residents are reminded that flytipping is an offence for which there are hefty fines. Please do not leave your waste, including garden waste on parish council land.

Please could all residents check the other side of their boundary fence and clear away any vegetation and self-sets encroaching/overhanging the footways, especially now the darker evenings are here. This includes keeping your trees and shrubs cut back for pedestrians and mowers. Low vegetation and discarded rubbish etc could be a trip hazard.

The Parish Council has engaged a Ranger service, and work has commenced at Acorn Avenue, Foxhollow, Gladeside, Oatlands and The Spinney, Appletrees. The Brambles and Brookdale will be done next. This is mainly path clearing work and trimming of shrubs. Heavier tree works will be completed by tree contractors later in the season.

Any concerns about footpaths and road surfaces, including the perimeter road, please contact Cambridgeshire County Council on <https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/travel-roads-and-parking/roads-and-pathways/roadworks-and-faults/>.

For streetlight outages please report urgently to [Balfour Beatty street light fault reporting form](mailto:Balfour.Beatty@cambridgeshire.gov.uk) or call 0800 7838247.

Please contact the Police: <http://tinyurl.com/SouthCams> -Parking to report parking issues. Unfortunately, the Parish Council has no powers of enforcement in respect of illegal and inconsiderate parking on the highway.

Next Environment and Amenities Committee: Wednesday 7 November. Full Council Meeting: Thursday 15 November.

Handy telephone numbers/contact details:

Cambs County Council: Births, deaths and marriages; buses; consumer protection; education; libraries; public health; recycling and waste; roads and highways; social care; street lighting; trading standards; transport and travel. Tel 01223 717111

South Cambs District Council: Building control; business rates; car parks; council tax; elections and voter registrations; environmental health; housing and homelessness; leisure centres; licensing; pest control; planning; refuse/bin collection; street cleaning. Tel 03450 450500 <https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/council/contact-us/not-sure-which-council-to-contact/>
To report issues on footpaths, public rights of way, and roads <https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/travel-roads-and-parking/roads-and-pathways/roadworks-and-faults/>. Tel 01223 717111

Streetlight maintenance <http://www.lightingcambridgeshire.com/contact-us/report-fault.htm> or enquiries@lightingcambridgeshire.com Tel 0800 7838 247.
You will need to give the number on the lamp post
Cambridge Water Company (water supply)
<http://www.cambridge-water.co.uk> Tel 0800 316 7676
Anglian Water (waste water)
<http://www.anglianwater.co.uk/> Tel 0800 145 145

AN UPDATE FROM

— FEN DRAYTON LAKES —

What has been happening?

It is now autumn and the breeding season has finished for the year. This means we can carry out habitat management works around the reserve to maintain and improve areas for the breeding and resident species next year. These jobs will keep us busy until the spring, as we work to ensure that the reserve provides an ideal habitat for target species. The first of these jobs that we have undertaken is the removal of willow trees from Holywell reedbed. These trees grow and spread quickly, and if left, will take over a reedbed and dry it out to eventually become woodland. As reedbed is one of our most valuable habitats for species such as bittern and marsh harrier. We have spent a lot of time cutting the willow back from the edges where it encroaches in, and treating the stumps to prevent regrowth.

The other job key job that we have begun is the clearing of vegetation from the islands on Ferry Lagoon and Moore Lake. These islands are very important for our breeding terns, gulls, and other wetland species that nest on bare ground. So it is important to keep them clear of the vegetation that has a habit of taking over.

Wildlife

The autumn passage of migrating birds is coming to an end, but interesting species could still turn up at any time so it is always worth keeping an eye out when walking around the reserve. Wintering species are arriving with the tell-tale whistling call of wigeon being heard on the reserve, so it is only a matter of time before other species arrive too. Fen Drayton Lakes is currently a great place to come and view herons with five different species on site. Numbers of grey heron and little egret are building up as they gather into wintering groups. They have been joined by four great white egrets on Moore Lake. A group of six cattle egret have been moving around between cattle herds on Ferry Mere and Middle Fen on site, and the neighbouring Mare Fen. Bittern are also around with individuals being spotted in various locations around the reserve.

Get involved.... Some of our events in 2018:

Willow Weaving Workshop

Sunday 9 Dec from 1000–1600

Get creative in time for Christmas and make your very own decorations.

Booking required. Non-member £25, RSPB member £20.

Wednesday Wander

Wednesdays 14 Nov and 12 Dec from 1015–1245

If you'd like to find out about our volunteering opportunities, please get in touch:

E: fendraytonlakes@rspb.org.uk; T: 01954 233260; or visit: rspb.org.uk/fendraytonlakes

— Bar Hill Church —

Services during November

Sunday 4 November	10:00 am	Holy Communion (Methodist)
	6:00 pm	Informal Worship
Sunday 11 November	10:00 am	Remembrance Service
Wednesday 14 November	10:00 am	Midweek Communion
Sunday 18 November	10:00 am	Holy Communion (Reformed)
Sunday 25 November	8:00 am	Holy Communion
	10:00 am	Society of Friends (Quaker)



Social Calendar for November

Olive Tree Coffee Morning Saturday 17 November 10:30-11:30 am in the Meetings Room

Knit & Natter every Thursday 1:15–3:00 pm in the Octagon (contact Sue 01954 780260)

Coffee Stop every Wednesday 10 am - noon in the Library (contact Sue 01954 780260)

Art Group every Wednesday 1:30 - 4:00 pm in the Octagon (contact Jan 01954 201495)

Bring Your Own Craft Group Saturday 24 November All-day Christmas Crafts from 10:30 am to 4:00 pm in the Octagon. Whole day (including ploughman's lunch) £5.50, half day + lunch £4.50 & includes tea/coffee & biscuits. Suitable for year 6 to adults. Each activity will be priced modestly to cover the cost of materials. Must be booked in advance – contact Karen 01954 781085 or karen.austen@ntlworld.com by Friday 9 November to book your place and your lunch as numbers will be limited

Alpha Course on Thursdays at 7:30 pm in the Octagon with supper

Church Contacts

Church Office	Ian Pryke	01954 206120	office@barhillchurch.org.uk
Minister	Rev. Charles Mather	01954 277119	charlesmather20@yahoo.com
Address	Bar Hill Church Centre, Hanover Close, Bar Hill, Cambridge CB23 8EH		
Website	https://barhillchurch.org.uk	Facebook	https://facebook.com/barhillchurch

House and Carpet Cleaning Services – 07495 910232
Gardening Services – 07427 341374

FOR SALE

Conservatory electric heater excellent condition. £30.00
Phone: 01954 204327

FOR SALE

Complete Golf Set and Caddy: £100 ono
4 Fishing Rod. Fibre glass 3 real: £80 ono
Phone: 07397 347533

FOR SALE

Large, round, blue enamel bread bin: £5.00
tel: 07734 690580

— Bar Hill Church —

The Great War
1914-1918

World War II
1939-1945

The Korean War
1950-1953

Northern Ireland
1968-1988

Falklands
1982

Remembrance Sunday 2018

11 November 10 am Bar Hill Church



*They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning,
We will remember them.*

Laurence Binyon

Gulf War
1991

Bosnia
1992-1995

Afghanistan
2001-2014

Iraq
2003-2009

& other missions
involving UK

*We invite everyone to come and pray for peace & remember the fallen and
injured from all conflicts of the last century.*

— Catholic Church —

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND THE ENGLISH MARTYRS

The Catholic Church serving Bar Hill
Hills Road, Cambridge

Parish Priest: **Rt. Rev. Mgr Eugene Canon Harkness**
Tel: 01223 350787

Local contact: **Bunty Waters** Tel: 01954 201421

Mon., Weds., Thurs., Friday 8am & 12.15pm

Tuesday 8am & 7.30pm

Saturday 6pm: First Mass of Sundays

Masses in the Parish Church in Cambridge; also 5pm at
Cambourne and 6pm at **The Octagon, Bar Hill.**

Holydays of Obligation 8am, 10am, 7.30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday 6.45pm (not after Mass)

Saturday 10.30-11.15am, 4.30-5.15pm, 7.00-7.45pm

Details of other services are published in a weekly
newsletter available at the 6pm Mass each Saturday.

Copies are also available in the Church Centre.

Home Visits

I am happy to bring communion to house bound Catholics. I
also visit people at the end of their lives, of any religion or
none, who would welcome support or are distressed
spiritually.

Contact Jean: 07841 397338, Catholic Eucharistic Minister.
Associate Member of the Hospice Chaplaincy Team.

FOR SALE

Park Home in St. Ives.

Over 50s development. Quiet site, near town and shops.
Two bedroom, lounge, upgraded kitchen, double bedroom
and one other or as study.

Gas CH, Double Glazed. Porch with white goods.
Pleasant and tidy front and wrap around garden, with rear
gardens, patio, maintained with green house, shed.
Cheap rent, garage to rent on site and also resident parking.
Price £85,000. viewing recommended.

Tel: 07791 034695

— BAR HILL VILLAGE HALL —

- Conference Facilities;
- Seminars;
- Committee/Meeting Room;
- Training Days;
- Exam Sessions;
- Wedding Receptions;
- Birthday Celebrations;
- Anniversary Celebrations;
- Charity Events;
- Children's Parties;
- Jumble Sales.
- Kitchen Facilities.
- Excellent Parking and Catering Facilities.



During the week we have the following groups and clubs:

Mon. (TTO)	Helene's School of Dance	4-6pm
	Craig Burns Boot Camp	6.15-7.15pm
(TTO)	Pilates	7.15-8.15pm
Tue. (TTO)	Over 50's Dance Class	2-3pm
	Shotokan Karate	6-8pm
Wed. (TTO)	Helene's School of Dance	4.30-6.45pm
	Clubercise with Marilyn	7.15-8.15pm
Thur. (TTO)	Pilates	10-11am
	Little Kickers	1.45-2.45pm
	Little Kickers	3.30-4.30pm
	Weight Watchers	7-8pm
Fri.	Martial Arts	6-8pm
Sun.	Bingo	7-9.30pm

(TTO) Term Time only

If you wish to book any of these facilities, or get more information, please call 01954 782414 and leave a clear message. We'll call back within 24 hours (Monday to Friday); or e-mail barhill.villagehall@btconnect.com

FOR SALE STROLLER

Very good used condition.
Storage box can also be used
as a seat. Item in good working
order. £45.00.

For further details or to
arrange viewing please contact
Gill Hayden-Smith on 01954
200394.



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Local business in The Brambles

By appointment only;

Monday-Sunday opening.

Call Sharon: 07967 610482

- Minx Foil Nails, Manicures/Pedicures, Nail Art/Design.
- Shellac/IBD/Gelation Nail Polish (lasts up to 14 days): £19.00;
- St Tropez Spray Tans: £15.00;
- Eyelash Lift with free eyelash tint: £20.00;
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- Eyelash tint: £10.00.

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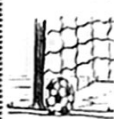
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Simple steps such as stocking up on self-care essentials can help you treat minor illnesses at home.

- pain relief (paracetamol and ibuprofen)
- cough and cold remedies
- upset stomach treatment
- heartburn and indigestion treatment
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Save yourself time, and save the NHS money, see your pharmacist.

Children can get between 8–10 colds a year, and a cough can last three weeks before it starts to improve. Most minor childhood illnesses don't need a GP appointment.

Stay stronger for longer!

We all want to continue to share our lives with loved ones as we get older, such as playing with grandchildren and socializing with friends. Simple strength and balance exercises twice a week are a proven to keep you stronger for longer, independent and enjoying the great things in life, whether by joining a class or doing it yourself at home.

Extended Access Routine Appointments

Willingham and Longstanton Surgeries are participating in a new scheme so we can offer more routine appointments outside of the surgery core hours. We are now able to offer patients appointments in the evening and at weekends at the Ely hub which is based at St Mary's Surgery in Ely.

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Appointments are subject to availability.

Flu Vaccinations

We have now received our flu vaccinations. Please call and book your appointment. The vaccination is recommended (and free!) to all patients over the age of 65, pregnant women, and those who have long term medical condition regardless of age. If you are unsure please ask.

Carers Support Meetings Our next meetings at Willingham Surgery are on Wednesdays: 7th November and 5th December.

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We are looking forward to meeting some of you on Sunday 4th November when we will be walking the tow path from Milton to Waterbeach, if you would like to join in email Avril at the email address below. We hope to see lots of pink outfits on our third walk to support Breast Cancer Now.

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These sessions are not only for Childminders but also for any children aged 0–5 years and their parents/carers to attend – so come along and join us!

Government Funding for 3 and 4 year olds (15–30 hours per week) – 'Universal' and 'Extended'.

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Christmas Miscellany

This year's Seasonal Miscellany will be held on **Wednesday 12th December at 7.30pm.**

This regular Christmas event will include a celebration of more than 30 years of our Local Group, a fun quiz, plus wine and mince pies. Our guest will be Kevin Hennessy, (Trust Director for Business Development and Engagement). Kevin has come to the Trust from a background of commerce, having managed a packaging company, so a complete change of direction for him!

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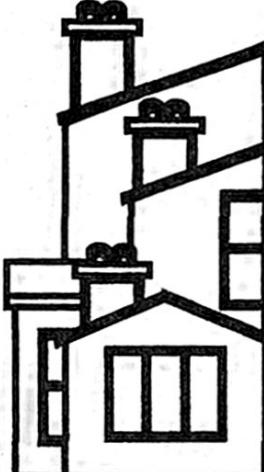


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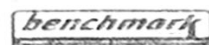


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The best result by far was the most recent game, a 2-1 win away to Waterbeach. A great team performance with everyone contributing something to the win. Keep that up and it will be a good season.

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– NOVEMBER BULLETIN –

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FIREWORKS and bonfire night can be plenty of fun for all of the family to enjoy and going to an organised firework display instead of holding one at home can be a great way of supporting your local community.

If you do plan on using fireworks or lighting a bonfire at your own home however, please ensure you consider our safety advice below:

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- Only buy fireworks marked BS 7114
- Light fireworks at arm's length using a taper, stand well back and never go back to a lit firework
- Never throw fireworks or put them in your pockets or clothing
- Light sparklers one at a time wearing gloves, and place used sparklers in a bucket of water
- Never give sparklers to children under five
- It is illegal to sell fireworks to someone under the age of 18 or to light fireworks in a public place
- For more information on Firework Safety, visit: www.hse.gov.uk

Bonfires:

- Do not light bonfires in unsuitable weather conditions, particularly when windy
- Do not leave bonfires unattended
- Keep a bucket of water or a hosepipe handy just in case
- Build bonfires well clear of buildings, garden sheds, fences and hedges
- Never use flammable liquids to start the fire
- Never burn dangerous rubbish such as aerosols, paint, foam furniture, rubber tyres, batteries, etc
- Before you light the bonfire, check that children and animals are not hiding inside and are a safe distance away
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— COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT —

Whilst we have been enjoying the summer weather County Council Highways Officers have been working to prepare for winter. A new risk based code of practice was published in October 2016 and implemented from April 2018 and all the Council's winter road maintenance policies have been reviewed to reflect this new guidance. To meet its statutory obligations with regard to winter road conditions the Council has a range of vehicles from JCBs to quad bikes as well as a specialist vehicle for the guided busway.

Preparations have included ordering new gritters in time for November delivery whilst vehicles in the existing fleet are returned to the factory where they are completely stripped down and then rebuilt. All the vehicles are fitted with tracking devices and front, rear and side cameras which are capable of capturing 10 minutes before and after any incident in which a vehicle is involved. The County Council's vehicles are set to restrict speed to 35mph or less. The price of salt is much lower in the summer months and by ordering its supplies at that time the Council has saved about £17,000. When spread, salt is generally considered to be effective for about 24 hours although it can be longer-lasting depending on the severity of the weather conditions. Road conditions are monitored remotely through local weather stations. The Council also has cross boundary agreements with eight neighbouring counties and is working continually to improve communications within this group and with the general public; those of you who use social media may remember the hashtag GritterTwitter from last winter. Of course in a high growth area like Cambridgeshire, the challenge to maintain roads increases as new roads are built. The Ely bypass is due to open on 31 October 2018; the phased handing over of the old A14 as parts of it become a local road and the ever increasing cycleway infrastructure are just some of the challenges that will be faced in the near future.

The Greater Cambridge Partnership [GCP] held a workshop in September for members of both its Board and Assembly to discuss the work programme for the year ahead. The first gateway review which is required to assure government that the initial tranche of £100m has been well spent will happen in 2019. Government assurance in this respect is a box that has to be ticked before the second tranche of £200m is released. There is no doubt that South Cambridgeshire needs this investment in roads.

Thank you to all of you who have been in touch. This month some of you have raised concerns about the procurement of services for the Maple Surgery. I am due to meet with representatives of the Clinical Commissioning Group and Healthwatch in the very near future and will be seeking a resolution to those concerns.

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Thank you Special Olympics GB Anniversary Games 2018 for inviting me to participate as a volunteer at Stirling, Scotland.

In May 2018 I found out that I was going to be a volunteer at the games. I worked out the cheapest way to travel and arranged my flight to Glasgow. Chatting on the Facebook page with other volunteers I found a new friend who would be driving near Glasgow to make a diversion to collect me. We also agreed to stay at the same hotel off the Stirling University campus. A very hospitable B&B in the quaint village of Doune (7 miles from Stirling) which boasts its own castle, distillery and nearby safari park.

Day 1

A gloriously sunny morning. Tea and porridge for breakfast at the B&B.

Induction training to explain the history of the Special Olympics from their set up in 1968 by President J F Kennedy's sister Eunice Kennedy Shriver to the foundation of Special Olympics GB in 1978. The Anniversary Games had 1500 athletes, coaches and officials from the GB regions, Europe and Asia. 150 clubs were represented from 7 Scottish regions, 9 English regions, Wales, Isle of Man, Ireland, Germany, Denmark, Belgium and Macau.

We were all educated in the definition of an intellectual disability being the significant reduced ability to understand new or complex information and/or learn new skills, or to cope independently. Having a lasting effect on development. Rules of thumb for meeting an athlete is to focus on the ability, treat them according to their age, ask questions and be ourselves.

The events at the games were:

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There was a Healthy Athletes Programme delegation where athletes were offered free health screenings and information. Fit Feet podiatry examination; Healthy Hearing audiology tests; FUN Fitness physiotherapy session; Special Smiles dentistry instruction.

More to follow as space permits. Ed

HEIDI ALLEN, MP

Parliament is back, and although the next few months will inevitably be dominated by Brexit, I continue to work on many other issues.

I've had a number of emails from residents wanting to know more about the Oxford to Cambridge railway project, crucially asking where the route will be. A meeting I hosted with the East West Rail company last month reassured me that no decision has yet been taken, though route options are anticipated towards the end of the year. I have been clear, that in line with the National Infrastructure Commission's view, I support a route that is aligned with the A428 corridor which would provide much needed transport connections for Cambourne, its surrounding developments and Northstowe. I do not agree with a route that cuts through the south of the constituency, not least because this part of South Cambs is already well served by the Kings Cross line. I will let you know as soon as I have any updates.

I was in Duxford for the air show, and although the weather was less than kind, the displays were spine tingling as always. This year's event particularly poignant as we celebrated 100 years of the RAF. Thank you to all the staff and volunteers who made the day so memorable.

At the beginning of my newsletter, I mentioned Brexit. Whatever your views, I think we all know the next few months will be critical. Your emails haven't stopped since the referendum result in 2016 and you may be aware that such was their volume, I held two public meetings to respond to constituents' concerns. As negotiations reach their climax, I have decided to hold further public meetings in order to hear your views and answer questions. Pre-registration will be required to manage numbers attending, so please look out for further details on my website: <https://www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk/>

If there is anything you would like to talk to me about more generally, my next "by appointment" surgery will be on Friday 2nd November 3-5pm in Bassingbourn. If you would like an appointment, please call my office. My next "drop in" surgery (no appointment necessary) will be on Saturday 1st December 10.30-12.30pm in Sawston at the Parish Council office, Links Road, CB22 3GB. You can find more details on my website: <https://www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk/residents-drop-surgeries> In the meantime, if you would like to contact me, please email heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk or call my office on 01223 830037.

See you next month!

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— DISTRICT COUNCILLOR NOTES —

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Local Plan

I am pleased to say that the Local Plan has finally been adopted. Despite the plan being opposed by the Liberal Democrats in opposition, I am pleased that the new administration has voted through the Local Plan which delivers 22,000 jobs and 19,500 homes in South Cambridgeshire. I have always been supportive of the Local Plan. It is sometimes easy to forget that local authorities responsible for delivering houses and planning have targets set by the Government nationally and if local authorities such as SCDC do not deliver on these targets and provide the Government nationally with evidence via a Local Plan, the national Government would step in and take over the delivery process (effectively SCDC would lose its planning control).

Some villages locally have suffered from speculative applications due to the fact that we have not had a Local Plan or 5 year land supply. So that from now going forward up until 2031 the planning team will be using our Local Plan to judge where developments are acceptable or not giving our district a huge amount of protection in planning terms. The largescale developments that will take place within the District are as follows:

- A new town north of Waterbeach – approximately 8,000-9,000 homes.
- A new village at Bourn Airfield – approximately 3,500 homes.
- An expansion to Cambourne to the west – planning permission has already been granted for 2,350 homes.
- Homes on land north of Cherry Hinton and west of Teversham – 1,200 homes (420 in South Cambridgeshire. The remaining homes are in Cambridge City).
- Around 900 homes in the better served South Cambridgeshire villages.
- Continue to develop Northstowe – around 10,000 homes.
- Continue to build homes in existing growth sites on the edge of Cambridge (Southern Fringe, Cambridge East, Darwin Green and Eddington).

In Summary, I believe the adoption of this Local Plan to be a huge step forward for our district and is about so much more than just providing homes. It is about making sure we have the right facilities, excellent transport links and build communities where people want to live.

Proposed changes to green bin collections

The new administration is proposing that residents that have more than one green bin would be charged £35 a

year to have the additional bin emptied. In the past this service has been done free of charge for residents in South Cambridgeshire to promote recycling and prevent people from putting green waste in the black bin. I wanted to make residents and parish councillors aware of this proposal so that I can bring forward concerns that you may or may not have. I have just got one green bin which I find sufficient for all my garden waste. and have always found that I have had enough space or if I have undergone a big project I have taken the waste to Milton Recycling Centre. Currently there are around 3,000 properties with additional green bins across SCDC meaning that if the charge was in place, the council would get an additional income stream of £35 x 3,000 i.e. £105,000 per year. The final decision will be made by Cabinet on the 7th November 2018 but this will come before the Scrutiny committee on the 18th October 2018 so if you have any comments please get in touch with me prior to that date.

Councillors' pay

A report by the Independent Remuneration Panel looking at Councillors' allowances had recommended that Councillors allowances should rise by 9% and the Leader of the Council should have a 27% increase. Under the Conservative led administration and in all the years that I have been a Councillor, the Conservative group has always said that it is right that we should only take an increase that is comparable to that of the staff that SCDC employ (due to public sector pay restraints, this has been around 1%). I was pleased to see this report voted down by the Council.

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GRAFFITI IN BAR HILL

Recent episodes on Parish Council property, fences and shops in The Mall were reported to the Police who are gathering information and CCTV. These are criminal offences and the Council will proceed with prosecution if the Police can get sufficient evidence. It costs over £400 per bus shelter to have it cleaned up and painted with anti-graffiti paint which is residents' money that could be spent on better things.

The public are asked to remain vigilant and report anything suspicious immediately to the Police on 101 and let the Council know. Some of these visits are made in the very early hours of the morning, and the Police have increased presence in the village. Our thanks to volunteers who have helped clean up, including the Tesco Community team who kindly came to deal with the graffiti on the office wall.

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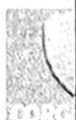
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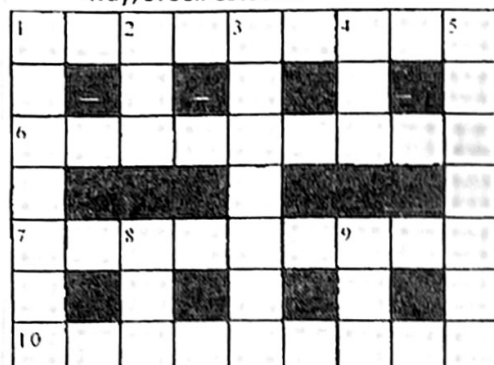
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	Church office	01954 206120
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Post Office		01954 789285
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Samaritans		01223 364455
Swavesey Village College		01954 230366

— NOVEMBER PUZZLE —

Form nine, nine letter CHARACTERS in LITERATURE, in groups of three letters, in alphabetical order.

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press **submit** - Thank you.

— EVENTS CALENDAR —

date	event	where	time
31 Oct	Halloween Display	12 Appletrees	from 5pm
3 Nov	Community Market (page 3)	Octagon	10.30am–4pm
3 Nov	Friends of the Rosie stall at Community Market (page 4)	Octagon	10.30am–4pm
4 Nov	Breast Cancer Now walk (page 15)	Milton Country Park to Waterbeach	
5 Nov	Happy Hours – AGM and Play Your Cards Right (page 3)	Octagon	11am–3pm
5 Nov	Firework Night (page 1)	School Green	from 6pm
6 Nov	Rhymetime (page 4)	Library	2.15–2.45pm
6 Nov	Residents' Association Committee meeting (page 1)	Parish Council Office	7pm
10 Nov	Storytime (page 4)	Library	11–11.30am
10 Nov	Gin Night (page 8)	BHSSC	
10 Nov	Romsey Mill Charity Gala (page 1)	Hallmark Hotel	6pm–midnight
11 Nov	Remembrance Sunday service (page 7)	Church	10am
12 Nov	Happy Hours – Abandoned Cities (page 3)	Octagon	11am–3pm
13 Nov	Health and Wellbeing Club (page 3)	Tesco Community Room	2–4pm
13 Nov	Rhymetime (page 4)	Library	2.15–2.45pm
13 Nov	Dry Drayton W.I. (page 3)	Dry Drayton Village Hall	2.30pm
14 Nov	Wednesday Wander (page 5)	Fen Drayton Lakes	1015–1245
14 Nov	Fete meeting (page 1)	BHSSC	7.30pm
14 Nov	Behaviour of Birds (page 16)	PE28 4TB	7.30pm
15 Nov	NWR – Treasure Trail (members only) (page 3)		8pm
19 Nov	Happy Hours – Birthday Party (members only) (page 3)	Octagon	11am–3pm
20 Nov	Rhymetime (page 4)	Library	2.15–2.45pm
20 Nov	Bar Hill Book Club (page 3)	BHSSC	7.30pm
22 Nov	Bar Hill Village Hall AGM (page 1)	Village Hall	7.30pm
22 Nov	NWR – Characters of WW1 (page 3)		8pm
24 Nov	Fundraising Disco (page 1)	Village Hall	7.30pm
26 Nov	Happy Hours – Fishing by Tony Hall (page 3)	Octagon	11am–3pm
27 Nov	Rhymetime (page 4)	Library	2.15–2.45pm
1 Dec	Christmas Community Market (page 3)	Church	10.30am–4pm
1 Dec	Friends of the Rosie stall at Christmas Community Market (page 4)	Octagon	10.30am–4pm
3 Dec	Happy Hours – Christmas Arts and Crafts (page 3)	Octagon	11am–3pm
6 Dec	NWR – the NHS (page 3)		8pm

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